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MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Executive Council Meeting on 27 September 1974

Messrs. Proctor & Walsh chaired. Substituting was

1. The DDI Advanced Opportunities Program will be launched soon on a pilot basis with perhaps five to ten people participating during the first year. Based on experience gained during the year, adjustments will be made so that we will have a durable and effective program.

- 2. The Combined Federal Campaign together with the fund raising campaign for EAF and PSAS is under way. Mr. Proctor noted that participation is always fairly complete, but urged that those who want to participate get their contribution in as early as possible. With regard to the Educational Aid and the PSAS programs, the important thing is to get broad participation so that all employees feel they have a stake in these funds. The amount contributed is not particularly important.
- 3. During October and November, will be George 25X1 Carver's deputy.

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- 4. Mr. Walsh will accompany ______ on Monday for the Nedzi Committee briefing. ______ of OSR will give a special briefing on strategic weapons.
- 5. An alert memo on Cambodia, the first of its kind, is in the works. The new art form in which the DCI in effect says to Dr. Kissinger, "I am warning you that...," is designed to call attention to situations that might soon require action at the WSAG level. The NIOs will preside over preparation of the memos. Anyone,

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presumably including non-Agency members of USIB, can propose such a memo, but in practice the initiative will probably come from the NIOs or DDI offices. A USIB working group is still developing procedures for the alert memos.

6. The first week's experience with Defense Intelligence Notices has been fairly negative. They arrive in the building in three ways: 1) In the Ops. Center via LDX; 2) By teletype twice daily; 3) And, in hard copy through CRS. Mr. Walsh suggested that substantive offices collect and evaluate the DINs received so far and prepare to comment on their accuracy and on problems they have created.

7. has met with the NIOs to work out procedures for evaluating State Department embassy reporting. NIOs will chair sessions with analysts familiar with the reporting from a given post. The selection of embassies to be studies is under way.

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